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SUBJECT: STATUS OF PENDING ISKRA APPLICATIONS

REF: BELGRADE 8137

1. RE REFTEL INQUIRY ON PENDING EXPORT APPLICATIONS, BEWT 204676 AND 211537 FROM AMERICAN MICROSYSTEMS TO ISKRA, COMMERCE HAD FOUND THAT ASSURANCES ISKRA PROVIDED AMI INCOMPLETE RE TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER. COMMERCE THEREFORE REQUESTED AMI OBTAIN PROPER ASSURANCES. FOLLOWING IS TEXT COMMERCE'S 13 DECEMBER LETTER TO AMI'S FARLEY:

"REFERENCE IS MADE TO YOUR LETTER OF OCTOBER 18, 1976, IN WHICH YOU ENCLOSED A COPY OF ISKRA-YUGOSLAVIA'S LETTER OF ASSURANCE DATED JUNE 13, 1975. AFTER REVIEW OF THIS ASSUR-
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ANCE, WE HAVE DETERMINED THAT IT DOES NOT COMPLY WITH THE EXPORT ADMINISTRATION REGULATIONS. SECTION 379.4(E) (2) OF THE REGULATIONS REQUIRE THE YUGOSLAV ENTITIES INVOLVED TO AGREE IN WRITING THAT THEY WILL NOT KNOWINGLY REEXPORT, EITHER DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, ANY TECHNICAL DATA OR DIRECT PRODUCT THEREOF TO COUNTRY GROUPS QWYZ. (COUNTRIES

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"WE HAVE ALSO BEEN INFORMED THAT ENGINEERS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF LJUBLJANA WILL SHARE THE TECHNOLOGY IN QUESTION WITH ISKRA. UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES, YOU SHOULD ASK ISKRA TO OBTAIN ASSURANCES ALSO FROM THE PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO THE PROJECT AT THE UNIVERSITY.

"ONCE YOU HAVE RECEIVED THESE ASSURANCES FROM ALL OF THE YUGOSLAV ENTITIES INVOLVED (I.E., ISKRA AND THE UNIVERSITY OF LJUBLJANA), WOULD YOU PLEASE FORWARD COPIES TO THE OFFICE OF EXPORT ADMINISTRATION. UPON RECEIPT WE WILL THEN BE ABLE TO EXPEDITE THE FURTHER REVIEW OF YOUR PENDING EXPORT APPLICATIONS."

2. DURING OCTOBER 27 COMMERCE MEETING ATTENDED BY HUJS, ISKRA GENERAL MANAGER, ISKRA READILY AGREED FURNISH NECESSARY ASSURANCES.

3. WHEN ASSURANCES RECEIVED, COMMERCE WILL PROCEED WITH FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF TWO APPLICATIONS.
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